

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached drawing sheet replaces the previously-submitted drawing sheet for Figure 2. This replacement drawing sheet is being submitted in order to change the reference in block 46 from “date range” to “data rate” in order to correspond to the specification on page 12, lines 21-23.

REMARKS

In the final Office Action mailed March 7, 2007, the Examiner rejected claims 1-3, 5, 6, 18-21, 23, 24, and 26 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Nefedov, U.S. Patent No. 6,704,368 ("Nefedov").

The Examiner rejected claims 4 and 22 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Nefedov in view of Love et al., U.S. Patent No. 6,034,971 ("Love").

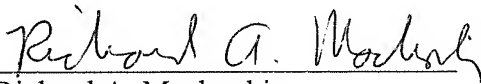
The Examiner indicated that claims 9-17 are allowable over the prior art of record.

In response, Applicant has canceled all pending claims, except for the claims that the Examiner found to be allowable, i.e., claims 9-17.

Because only allowable claims remain pending, Applicant respectfully submits that the application is now in condition for allowance, and notice to that effect is hereby requested. Should the Examiner feel that further dialog would advance the subject application to issuance, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at any time at (312) 913-0001.

Respectfully submitted,

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